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Case Docket No. PHF 99,508

THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS, Washington, D.C. 20231

Enclosed for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):  
FRANCOISE GROLIEREFor: VIDEO DECODING DEVICE AND METHOD USING A DEBLOCKING FILTERING  
STEP**ENCLOSED ARE:**

- ☒ Associate Power of Attorney;
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and copies of documents listed therein;
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment;
- ☒ Specification ( 8 Pages of Specification, Claims, & Abstract);
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney:  
(1 Page of a [ ] fully executed [X] unsigned Declaration);
- ☒ Drawing (4 sheets of [ ] informal [X] formal sheets);
- ☒ Certified copy of EUROPEAN application Serial No.99400367.1;
- ☒ Other: AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.136 (a) (3);
- ☒ Other: CITATION OF RELATED CASES;
- [ ] Assignment to

**FEE COMPUTATION**

CLAIMS AS FILED				
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Independent Claims	2 - 3 =	0	X \$78 =	0.00
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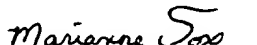
[ ] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --This is a continuation-in-part of application Serial No. , filed .--.


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PHF 99,508

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VIDEO DECODING DEVICE AND METHOD USING A DEBLOCKING FILTERING STEP

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

CITATION OF RELATED CASES

Sir:

Attached is a report which was made by the assignee of the above-identified patent application.

The United States patent applications and issued patents identified in this report may be relevant to the examination of the above-identified patent application inasmuch as they have been identified by an automated search of the assignee's patent portfolio files as having common inventors with and/or subject matter which is classified by the assignee in the same technological field as the above-identified patent application. However, citation of this report is neither an admission that any document noted therein is prior art to the above-identified patent application nor a waiver of the confidential status of any listed patent application under 35 U.S.C. 122.

Respectfully submitted,

By *Russell Gross*  
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# Related Cases/Technology Report for PHF 995

GROLIERE, FRANCOISE

Docket No.: PHF 99508

Attorney: UNASSIGNED

Patent No.:

Serial No.:

OS Codes : DV 1200

Title : VIDEO DECODING DEVICE AND METHOD USING A  
STEP.

## Common Inventors

DOLIZY, PIERRE

GROLIERE, FRANCOISE

Docket No.: PHF 81500

Patent No.: 4490605

OS Codes : BDIB00 BDPX00

Title : PHOTOELECTRIC DETECTION STRUCTURE

Attorney: BOTJER

Serial No.: \_\_\_/337917

DOLIRY, P.

GROLIERE, F.

MANIGUET, F.

Docket No.: PHF 81604

Patent No.:

OS Codes : BDIB00

Title : PHOTO-ELECTRIC DETECTION STRUCTURE.

Attorney: MILLER

Serial No.: \_\_\_/439461

DOLIZY, PIERRE

GROLIERE, FRANCOISE

MANIGUET, FRANCOIS

Docket No.: PHF 81604A

Patent No.: 4611114

OS Codes : BDIB00

Title : PHOTOELECTRIC DETECTION STRUCTURE HAVING  
OLLED PROPERTIES.

Attorney: MILLER

Serial No.: \_\_\_/785087

GROLIERE, FRANCOISE

BARRAU, ERIC

Docket No.: PHF 98625

Patent No.:

OS Codes : DV1100 BN9000

Title : METHOD AND DEVICE FOR ENCODING A VIDEO SIGNAL.

Attorney: GROSS

Serial No.: 09/470870

GROLIERE, FRANCOISE

Docket No.: PHF294505

Patent No.:

OS Codes :

Title :

Attorney:

Serial No.: 08/383169

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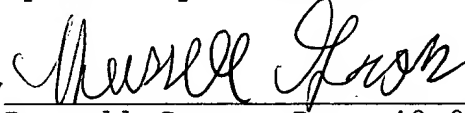
AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.136(a)(3)  
AND TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Sir:

The Commissioner is hereby requested and authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply in this application requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

Please charge any additional fees which may now or in the future be required in this application, including extension of time fees, but excluding the issue fee unless explicitly requested to do so, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

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